RECRUITMENT ANNOUCEMENT

REGULATORY SPECIALIST: Payband 01 or 02 (equivalent to previous GS-5/7/9/11 salary) with noncompetitive promotion to the Payband 02 level (equivalent to previous GS-9/11 salary for those initially qualifying at the Payband 01 level.

JOB SERIES: Biological Series 0401

OPENING DATE: September 26, 2008

FIRST CUT-OFF DATE: October 15, 2008

DUTY LOCATION: Fort Worth District Army Corps of Engineers, Planning Environmental, and Regulatory Division, Regulatory Branch, Permits Section

ARMY CAREER INTERN PROGRAM: Recruitment is under the Army Career Intern Program hiring authority. Executive Order 13162 authorized the establishment of the Federal Career Intern Program (FCIP). This program is designed to help agencies recruit and attract exceptional individuals into a variety of occupations. This authority allows Federal agencies to make certain "excepted service" appointments without regard to the traditional competitive process of the Federal competitive service employment system. Through this program, individuals are appointed to a two-year internship and upon successful completion of this internship, the intern may be appointed to a career-conditional appointment.

QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS: The requirements for this job series are in accordance with the Qualifications Standards Handbook Operating Manual published by the U.S. Office of Personnel Management. This handbook can be found on the internet at: http://www.opm.gov/qualifications/index.asp. Generally, the minimum qualification is a Bachelors of Science degree. Pay setting and entry level grade will be based upon a combination of education and any relevant experience, including internship work.

HOW TO APPLY: Applicants may submit a resume, Optional Application for Federal Employment (SF-171), or other written format that provides all required and relevant information. The application should include the applicant's full name, Social Security Number, complete mailing address, telephone number, electronic mail address (if available), educational background, official transcripts, summary of relevant experience, signature certifying accuracy of the submitted application, references, and reference contact information, and any other pertinent information.

SUBMIT APPLICATIONS TO: Ms. Jennifer Walker

Chief, Permits Section, Regulatory Branch

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SUBMIT ELECTRONIC SUBMITTALS TO: Jennifer.r.walker2@usace.army.mil

DUTIES: Perform work as Regulatory Specialist in the Regulatory Branch, Permits Section to implement the Regulatory Program pursuant to Section 404 of the Clean Water Act and Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act of 1899. Utilize technical knowledge of the natural and physical sciences, practices, and technologies to implement the Regulatory Program goals of protecting the aquatic environment, rendering fair and flexible permit decisions, and enhancing the efficiency of the Regulatory Program. In addition to the above referenced regulations, work would be performed to ensure compliance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA), Section 7 of the Endangered Special Act, and Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Contact Ms. Jennifer Walker at (817) 886-1863 or by the above referenced electronic mail address.

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